



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Lamarre, D. et al ) Art Unit: 1614  
Serial No.: 10/687,204 ) Examiner:  
Conf. No.: 7164 )  
Filed: 10/16/2003  
For: Composition for the treatment of infection by Flaviviridae  
viruses  
Docket No.: 13/118

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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February 24, 2005

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:


**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.825 please replace the existing paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" with the attached substitute paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" after the last page of the above-identified application.

**REMARKS**

The paper copy of the Sequence Listing for the subject application, is by this amendment, replaced by a substitute copy after the last page of the application. This Preliminary Amendment does not introduce new matter as support is found in the application filed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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